





Where you are born matters in Latin America countries

Territorial differences are many,
gaps are huge, and rural zones are
being left behind.



The rural world has changed

Links with urban areas are stronger,
while borders between rural and urban
areas are fading.

People no longer live only from agriculture,
but poverty and welfare gaps are still there.



Development potentials are plenty and diverse

Latin America has many cultural identities, resources and social configurations that can foster inclusive and sustainable territorial dynamics.

Rimisp, 30 years

**Committed to development
and territorial equity
in Latin America**

Three decades of committed and dedicated work for the transformation of the rural world

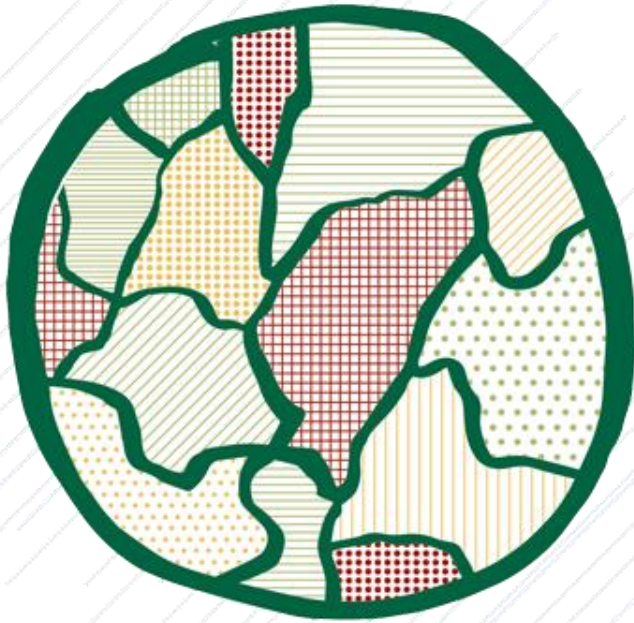


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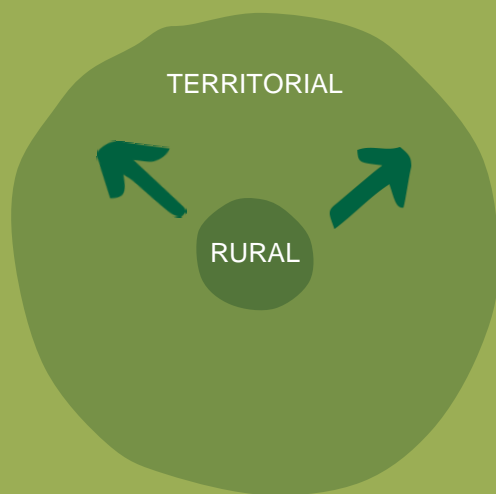
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**It provides clearer insights into
the relationship between
structures, actors and institutions**

**We are a network that links
and generates knowledge
for the development of
Latin American territories**



We work to understand the causes of **territorial inequalities**, contributing to design better public policies and bringing stakeholders together to support equitable territorial development



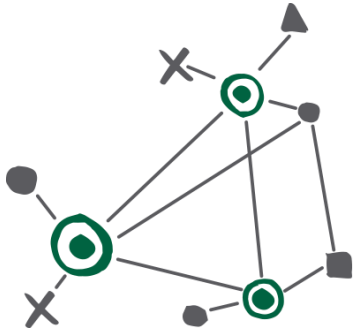
In no-metropolitan functional territories

with a focus on rural areas that has widened over time into a territorial approach

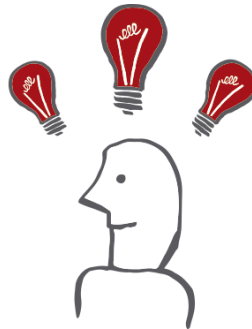
Because gaps are reduced more effectively from territories,

when their capacities are maximized

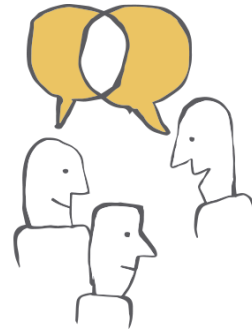
HOW DO WE ACHIEVE THIS?



**Building a
network of
partners**



**Generating
knowledge**



**Dialoguing
and advising**



**Developing
capacities**



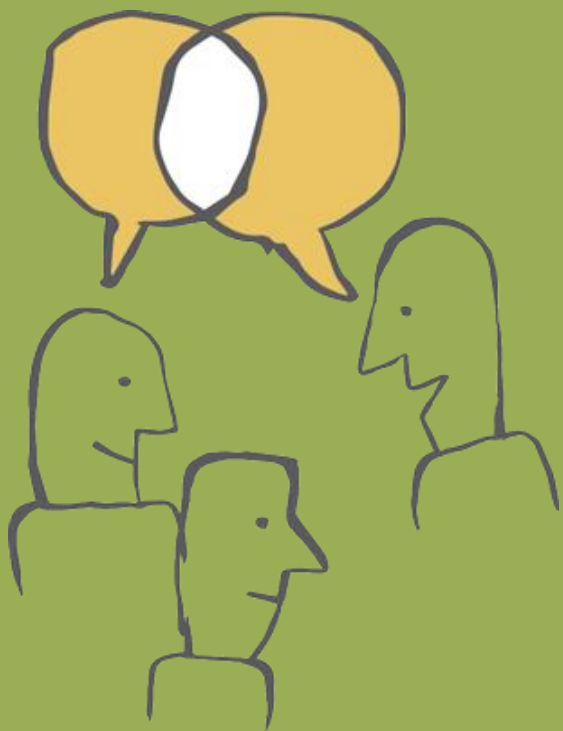
Articulating a *network of partners*

- 1 Building a network of influential partners that includes thought leaders and decision makers.
- 2 Bringing together local alliances with the ability to make a positive change in the territory.
- 3 Building trust-based relationships among them.



Generating Knowledge

- 1 Through applied research focusing on understanding the diversity of dynamics in Latin American territories.
- 2 Through analysis and systematization of the experiences of a variety of territories and countries, in order to improve our understanding of complex realities and their context.
- 3 Generating useful information for decision making processes.



Dialoguing and advising

- 1 Proposing innovative methodologies for policy dialogue among diverse stakeholders interested in contributing to change processes.
- 1 Promoting the inclusion of the territorial approach in the design of public policies.
- 2 Providing technical assistance to central and local governments for the development of public policies within and across territories.



Developing *Capacities*

- 1 Strengthening and empowering public and private stakeholders at national and local levels.
- 2 Providing stakeholders with the technical tools they need to better understand territorial dynamics.

OUR DISTINCTIVE IDENTITY IS



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**Work in
Latin
America**

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**Territorial
Approach**

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**Focus on
generating
institutional
changes**

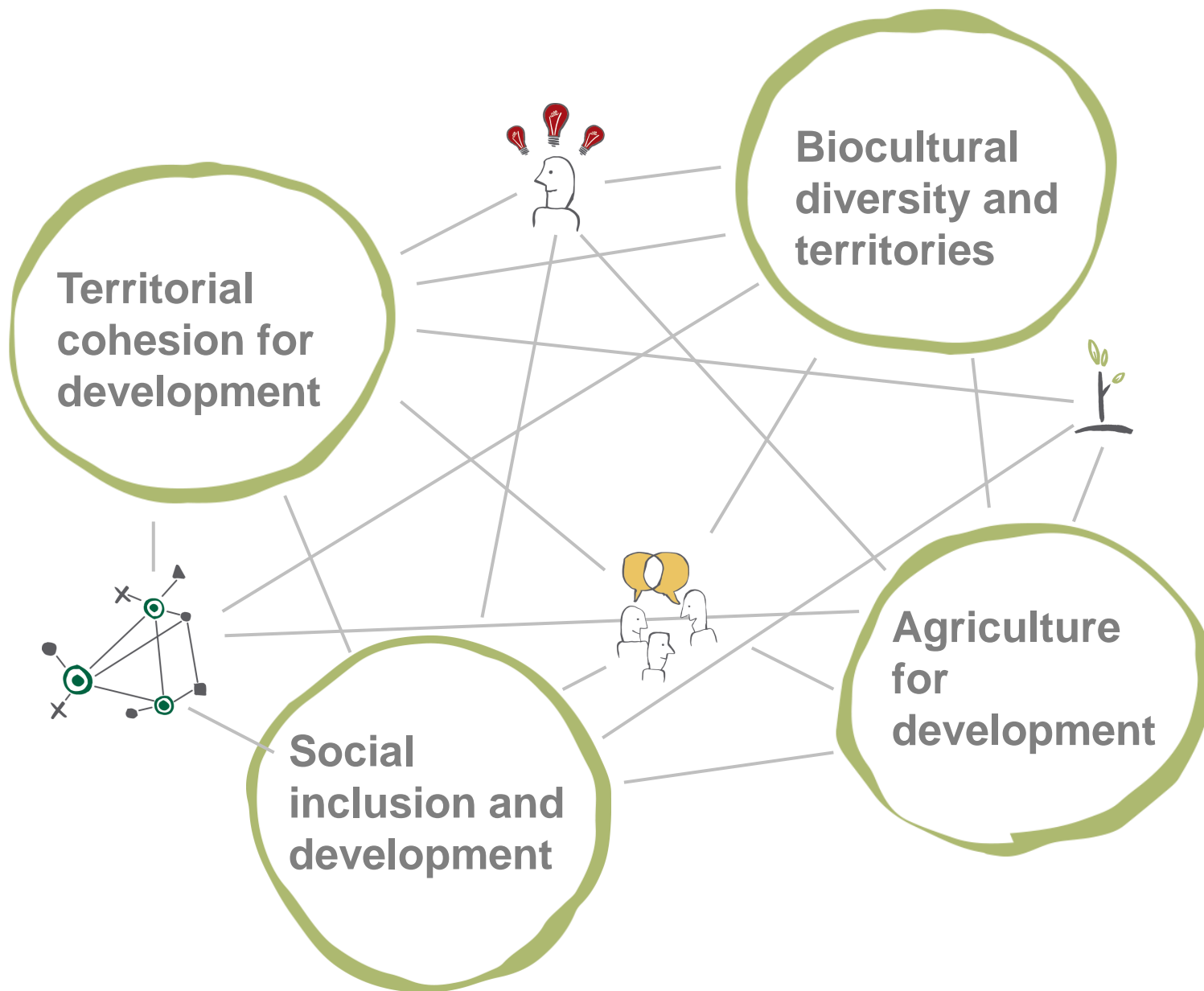
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**Vocation
towards
collaboration
and
networking**

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**Empower-
ment of local
actors**

OUR LINES OF ACTION ARE



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